

**EPAC Meeting of September 27, 2007**  
**Minutes**

Present: Dick Crockett, Linda Masica, Diana Hedges, Brad Benn, Pat Greer, Lois Ring, Bernice Amacher, Rick Fesler, Betty Hemstad, Linda Kieffer

Linda Kieffer called the meeting to order after Kathryn Ryan, URS Consultant, reviewed the Promenade Project, explaining in detail about plantings, benches and sculpture possibilities. It will be about a three-year total construction time frame.

Minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and corrected. Diana Hedges requested minutes also be sent to Edina Art Center board members.

Diana mentioned that EPAC by-laws be reviewed and revised as planned a while ago.

The gymnasium mural project was presented by Diana. Designs were shown by graphic artists who had been contacted by Diana and Lois Ring. A decision will be made on the chosen artist and design at the next EPAC meeting.

The EPAC grant request to the Federated Women's Club was denied. Bernice Amacher reported that most of the grant money went to more needy requests like the homeless, etc.

Lois Ring will work with Dick Crockett on a grant from the Jerome Foundation and Forecast Public Art Works.

Interviews with potential Gateway sculpture artists were held from 1 to 3 p.m. Artists Gloria Tew, Nick Legeros and Marcia McEachron reviewed their professional experience, asked questions and answered those from the EPAC. Jean and John Hedberg joined the EPAC for these interviews.

Each of these artists will make a presentation to EPAC on November 14, 2007. A decision will then be made about an artist and a sculpture for the Promenade.

The next EPAC meeting will be October 25 at 1 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Greer